

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

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THEIR USE AS  
HOMEOTROPICALLY ALIGNED  
LAYER IN ELECTRONIC DEVICES  
AND METHOD FOR THE  
MANUFACTURING THEREOF  
Examiner : Unknown  
Art Unit : 1751

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